# April 2024

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		Lil' Book	worms Online: 2:30 — 6:30	pm Figure 1		Open Mic Night 3 pm
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FUN ACTIVITIES, LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, FREE GIVEAWAYS, & MORE!

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## **Children's Programs**

Tuesdays, 10:30 am Welcome to Preschool Storytime! Enjoy stories, songs and a craft!

Saturdays, 10:30 am
Bring the family for some storytime fun! Explore early learning skills through play, sound, and movement.

Monday – Thursday, 2:30 – 6:30 pm
Students in grades K-12 can register to receive one-on-one assistance with a tutor on Zoom. Register at: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/SAPLOnlineTutoring">https://tinyurl.com/SAPLOnlineTutoring</a>

Thursday, April 4, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
Children of all reading abilities are invited to read, practice, and get to know some amazing canines.

## rms Online: Spring Retreat

April 2 - 4, 2:30 – 6:30 pm

Lil' Bookworms is back this spring break! Come and join a live Online Tutoring session and receive personalized reading assistance with a qualified SAPL tutor. We can help you practice your literacy skills, improve vocabulary, and sharpen your reading comprehension.

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Thursday, April 11, 6:00 – 7:30 pm In celebration of Earth Day, learn how to make your own terrarium! All supplies will be provided.

## **Teen Programs**

Mondays, 4:00 – 5:30 pm
Illuminate your creativity! Create a craft project to take home.

Tuesdays, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

Covering concepts in mechanics, electrical circuits, and coding, this crash course will teach you skills through hands-on activities.

Thursdays, 3:30 – 5:00 pm
Connect. Create. Chill. Share your interesting stories, books, gaming experience and observations to help us improve our TeenSpace, its collections and services!

Saturday, April 6 & 20, 12:00 – 1:00 pm

Neurodivergent youth: Meet QT, Kebbi, and Milo, our ASD Robots! Learn and practice reading, socialization, and life skills with the help of our teen mentors and Robofriends.

National Library Day Monday, April 8, 4:00 – 5:30 pm Drop in for an evening of DIY book bags & bookmarks.

Wednesday, April 10, 6:00 – 7:30 pm
Learn what you can do to support the library. Tour the library and get support as you apply to volunteer. For ages 12 - 17.

For more information visit: <a href="https://www.santa-ana.org/volunteer-program/">https://www.santa-ana.org/volunteer-program/</a>

**Distribution begins Monday, April 22**Come and celebrate National Superhero Day with an awesome craft. Visit the Library and take a craft kit home. Available for youth up to 8th grade starting April 22nd at the Main and Newhope Library while supplies last.

X-STREAM Family Science Nights
Tuesdays, April 9 & 23, 4:00 – 5:00 pm
The X-STREAM Lab presents X-STREAM Family Science Nights! Bring the family and enjoy a night with the Child Creativity Lab as we learn, create and explore together!
Space is limited, register here: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/X-STREAMLab">https://tinyurl.com/X-STREAMLab</a>

Saturday, April 27, 10:30 am – 2:00 pm
Celebrate Día and the importance of children, literacy, and families with author Suzanne Lang and illustrator Max Lang featuring the New York Times bestselling Grumpy Monkey books. The event is free for everyone to attend. Come enjoy a day full of fun, activities, and much more!

## Studio D: Dance & Music Community Class

Tuesday, April 30, 3:00 – 4:00 pm
In partnership with the Segerstrom Center for the Arts and led by Studio D instructors, these classes are a great way for friends and families of all abilities to have fun and participate together! All are welcome and no registration/signups are required.

Meet Moxie! SAPL's Robotic Companion Lending Program
Come to SAPL and meet Moxie, a special robotic friend for children ages 5 10. Parents can register their child to participate in this exciting robotic companion lending program that focuses on building youth's social and emotional skills through interactions with a robot pal.

Register at: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/RoboticCompanion">https://tinyurl.com/RoboticCompanion</a>

Distribution starts Monday, April 15
Take home a sensory poster. Use any medium to add color and unveil a beautiful design!



## **Adult & Family Programs**

Monday - Saturday, 2:00 – 6:00 pm
Receive one-on-one help with computers, ebooks, mobile devices and more!

Wednesday, April 3, 10, 17, & 24, 4:00 – 5:30 pm
Learn the art of crafting beats, express your unique style, and collaborate with fellow musicians. Explore beat-making with analog and digital equipment. This class is your space to create and vibe together. Join the rhythm, join the fun! Open for teens and adults. No previous experience required.

Wednesdays, April 3, 10, 17, & 24, 6:00 – 7:30 pm
During Poetry Month, our library invites you to join our special Memoir &
Poetry Fusion class, a unique and inspiring opportunity to explore your
personal memories through the lens of poetic expression. This program
blends the beauty of poetry with the depth of memoir writing, providing a
platform for you to tell your life's story in verse.

Registration required: https://tinyurl.com/writing-poetry-sapl

Wednesdays, April 3, 10, 17, & 24, 6:00 – 7:30 pm
Roll the dice and unearth the wonders of the Dungeons & Dragons universe. We welcome all new and experienced players. **Orientation night:** Wednesday, March 6.

Register: <a href="http://tinyurl.com/sapldungeonsanddragons">http://tinyurl.com/sapldungeonsanddragons</a>

Jazz Jams and Open Mic Night
Saturday, April 6, 3:00 – 5:00 pm
April is both National Poetry Month and Jazz Appreciation Month, so we're celebrating both with an open mic night and jazz jam session! Bring your original poetry or jazz songs to share. Learn about the digital resources available to further your jazz and poetry knowledge and skills.

Library of Things Open House: Earth Day
Saturday, April 13, 3:00 – 5:00 pm
Celebrate Earth Day with the Library of Things! Check-out items to get you in

Monday, April 15, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Experience the library world from the inside out!! Tour will cover general information about the library, the services it offers, instructions on how to find, borrow and return books and much more.

sábado, 13 de abril, 12:00 – 1:00 pm Acompáñanos en nuestra serie de clases de computación que te ayudaran a desarrollar tus habilidades informáticas y sentirte más cómodo/a en el mundo digital. Aprenderás conceptos básicos desde como prender una computadora hasta como crear una cuenta de correo electrónico. Se proporcionarán dispositivos y no es necesario tener experiencia previa.

Saturday, April 20, 1:00 – 2:00 pm
Explore the world of Cricut creation with step-by-step guidance using Cricut's Design Space.

## chnologies Workshop Series

Saturday, April 20, 3:30 – 5:00 pm
Adults! Have you ever seen a school science fair project and thought, "I know I can do better than that?" Well here's your chance to prove it! Each session features hands-on learning with a different creative technology followed by a friendly competition. This month we're featuring UV Resin.

Thursday, April 25, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Looking for something new to read? Join our monthly book club and explore literature's rich tapestry, one theme at a time. This month we're discussing Classic Literature

Monday - Thursday | 10 am - 8 pm Friday - Saturday | 10 am - 6 pm Sunday | CLOSED

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\*Pending no previously scheduled program is taking place in the Media Lab.

## **Adult & Family Programs**

## Career Online High School (COHS)

https://www.santa-ana.org/career-online-high-school/

The Santa Ana Public Library is pleased to present this exciting program for adult residents in the City of Santa Ana. Are you looking to expand your career opportunities, re-enter the workforce, or continue your education? The program is 100% online, flexible, free and provides:

- A personal academic coach and certified instructors to help you succeed.
- Convenient 24/7 online classroom access.
- Earn an accredited high school diploma while preparing for a career in high-demand fields.
- Tools that you need to start or advance your career, including a resume and cover letter.

## Children's Programs

## **Tiny Tots**

### Thursdays, 10:30 am

Join us every Thursday for a fun-filled morning. Babies and toddlers will develop a love for reading through stories, interactive songs, fingerplays and rhymes. Storytime will be followed by Stay & Play where tots and caregivers are encouraged to socialize with others.

## Online Tutoring

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# National Library Week: Wonders of Wildlife - Nature Detective Wednesday, April 10, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Come learn about and meet a variety of animals. Wonders of Wildlife will put on a program that is sure to be "wild." Don't miss it!

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